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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Glen R. Sumner

Serial No.: 08/520,711

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Title: Offshore Pipeline with  
Waterproof Thermal Insulation

§ Group Art Unit: 3405

§ Examiner: Patrick F. Brannon

§ Docket No. S71033US

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

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1. Response to Office Action Mailed January 26, 1998;
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3. Information Disclosure Citation;
4. References;
5. Request for Change of Correspondence Address; and
6. Return postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-0840 for any underpayment of the fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16-1.17, or credit the account for any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

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